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SERIAL NUMBER: 09/601,152 ) Expedited Procedure  
FILED: SEPTEMBER 5, 2000 ) Examining Group No. 1754  
TITLE: METHOD FOR REGENERATING ) EXAMINER: E. JOHNSON  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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Sir:

In response to the April 23, 2002, Office Action rejecting Claims 6-11 for application Serial No. 09/601,152 ("the Application"), Applicants respectfully request that the Patent Office consider the following amendments and remarks. A separate Petition for a one (1) month extension of time is being filed simultaneously herewith so that this Response will be considered timely filed.

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